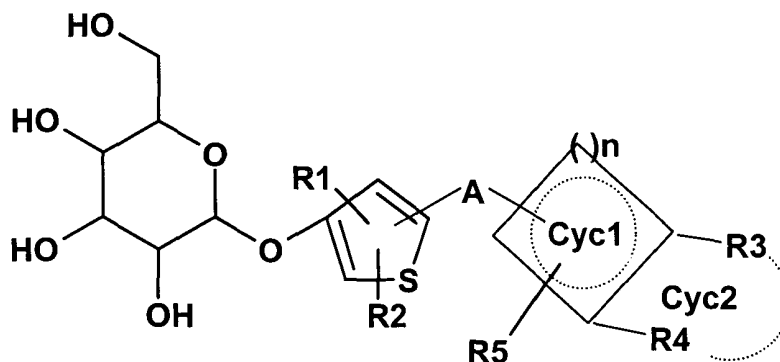


**Abstract**

Novel thiophene glycoside derivatives of the formula I



in which the radicals have the stated meanings, and the physiologically tolerated salts thereof and processes for their preparation are disclosed. The compounds are suitable, for example, as antidiabetics.

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